

On Friday, May 26, 1978, DWP and SRP discovered the following item in The Wayne Independent, Vol. 1, No. 7 (Thursday, March 21, 1878), p. 3:

North Clinton

Our school, taught by Miss Hattie Curtis, is drawing near the close.

On that same day, DWP and SRP discovered the following item in THE WAYNE INDEPENDENT, Vol. 1, No. 9 (Thursday, April 4, 1878), p. 3:

North Clinton

A grand entertainment was held at the Curtis Valley school house March the 30th. Miss Hattie Curtis, teacher.

The opening was a song by the school children--"Gathered once more."

"Robby's sermon," Josie Snedeker; paper by Katie Perham; dialogue by Olga Griswold and Nathan Curtis, aged respectively six and four years, was very nicely performed.

Music. Dialogue--"Lost Charlie;" Mr. Temple, Ervin Cole; Mrs. Temple, Lizzie Colt; Eva, daughter of Mr. T., Elisa Griswold; Charlie, son of Mr. Nathan Curtis; gypsies, Addie Gaylord, W. M. Belknap, Sylvenus Snedeker, Esther Snedeker, Nora Gaylord and Caroline Gaylord; Constable, Foster Sanders; Caesar, Eugene Sanders; Young Eric, George Perham, was well spoken and performed.

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